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Cell Fire Extinguished at the Lewis Prison

Buckeye, Az – Two inmates at ASPC-Lewis set fire to a mattress in their cell today. Staff quickly extinguished the fire and evacuated all inmates in the surrounding cells. All staff and inmates are safe and accounted for.

Two officers and the two inmates that set the fire are being transported to a local hospital for possible minor smoke inhalation and for further evaluation.

Damage from the fire is limited to the mattress and inmate property in the cell.

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